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COMMERCE FOR CAGNE-GEORGE BECK

REPORT IN MIDDLE EAST ECONOMIC DIGEST THAT RECENTLY DISCOVERED
MINERAL DEPOSITS IN THE UAE QUOTE MAY EQUAL IN VALUE THE OIL DE-
POSITS THERE UNQUOTE ARE OVERBLOWN AND EXAGGERATED. SADAK WISSA,
DIRECTOR OF FEDERAL FINANCE MINISTRY CONFIRMED TO EMBASSY OFFICERS
THAT TRACES OF BAUXITE AND IRON ORE WERE FOUND IN GEOLOGICAL SAMPLES
FROM THE NORTHERN EMIRATES (PROBABLY RAS AL-KHAIMAH), BUT NO ATTEMPT
HAS BEEN MADE TO DETERMINE PURITY OF SAMPLES OR TO DECIDE IF
DEPOSITS COMMERCIALY EXPLOITABLE. FINAL REPORT OF UNIDO TEAM WILL
BE SUBMITTED IN JANUARY AND EMBASSY WILL ATTEMPT OBTAIN COPY FROM
LOCAL SOURCES.
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